



TRICARE® Prime Enrollment Fees

Fiscal Year 2013 Update

On October 1, 2012, TRICARE Prime enrollment fees will increase. TRICARE Prime annual fees increased last year for new enrollees for the first time since the program began. For fiscal year 2013 (*October 1, 2012–September 30, 2013*), most existing enrollees will see a slight increase, which was calculated based on the calendar year 2012 Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) of 3.6 percent. Moving forward, TRICARE Prime enrollment fees will be subject to increases each fiscal year based on the COLA for the calendar year, as authorized by the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012. Fees are outlined in the table below.

Retired service members and their eligible family members, survivors, and former spouses pay TRICARE Prime enrollment fees, which are applied to the annual catastrophic cap. There are no enrollment fees for active duty service members and active duty family members enrolled in TRICARE Prime, TRICARE Prime Remote, or TRICARE Prime Remote for Active Duty Family Members.

EXCEPTIONS FOR SURVIVORS AND MEDICALLY RETIRED SERVICE MEMBERS

An exception to the fee increase applies to survivors of active duty deceased sponsors and medically retired uniformed service members and their dependents. Their fees remain frozen at the rate in effect at the time they are classified in the Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS) as survivors or medically retired and enrolled. Fees remain frozen as long as there is no break in their TRICARE Prime enrollment.

FIND UP-TO-DATE COST INFORMATION ONLINE

All fees, cost-shares, and copayments can be found at www.tricare.mil/costs.

TRICARE PRIME ENROLLMENT FEES

Fiscal Year 2011 (October 1, 2010–September 30, 2011)	Fiscal Year 2012 (October 1, 2011–September 30, 2012)	Fiscal Year 2013 (October 1, 2012–September 30, 2013)
\$230/individual	\$260/individual	\$269.28/individual
\$460/family	\$520/family	\$538.56/family

FOR INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE

 TRICARE North Region Health Net Federal Services, LLC 1-877-TRICARE (1-877-874-2273) www.hnfs.com	 TRICARE South Region Humana Military Healthcare Services, Inc. 1-800-444-5445 www.humana-military.com	 TRICARE West Region TriWest Healthcare Alliance 1-888-TRIWEST (1-888-874-9378) www.triwest.com
US Family Health Plan 1-800-74-USFHP (1-800-748-7347) or www.usfhp.com		

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An Important Note about TRICARE Program Information

At the time of printing, this information is current. It is important to remember that TRICARE policies and benefits are governed by public law and federal regulations. Changes to TRICARE programs are continually made as public law and/or federal regulations are amended. **Military treatment facility guidelines and policies may be different than those outlined in this product.** For the most recent information, contact your TRICARE regional contractor, TRICARE Service Center, or local military treatment facility.

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